

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

Attorney Docket No. 5649-874

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first a joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **METHODS OF MANUFACTURING INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICES THAT INCLUDE A METAL OXIDE LAYER DISPOSED ON ANOTHER LAYER TO PROTECT THE OTHER LAYER FROM DIFFUSION OF IMPURITIES AND INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICES MANUFACTURED USING SAME.**

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37 Code of Federal Regulations, 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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Number	Country	MM/DD/YYYY Filed	Priority Claimed

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

None	
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, 120 of any United States application(s) or 35(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States application is not listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application(s) indicated by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, 112, I acknowledge the provision of Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application (37 F.R. 1.63(d)).

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or my patent issued thereon.

POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following registered attorney(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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